

Table 2. Employment and Earnings by Disability Status for the Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population 21 to 64 Years: 2000

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Disability Status	Total		Employed		Worked year-round full-time in 1999 ¹			Relative earnings ² (US Med = 100)
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Median earnings (dollars)	
Both Sexes	1,945,425	100.0	1,505,845	77.4	1,128,085	58.0	\$40,736	124.5
With any of six specified disabilities	327,695	16.8	206,685	63.1	147,055	44.9	\$35,070	107.2
None of six specified disabilities	1,617,725	83.2	1,299,165	80.3	981,030	60.6	\$41,443	126.7
With a sensory disability	36,595	1.9	19,905	54.4	14,640	40.0	\$37,265	113.9
With a physical disability	103,740	5.3	40,195	38.7	25,930	25.0	\$34,808	106.4
With a mental disability	62,495	3.2	23,400	37.4	11,765	18.8	\$29,816	91.1
With a self-care disability	29,545	1.5	7,730	26.2	4,300	14.6	\$32,201	98.4
With a go-outside disability	102,615	5.3	50,860	49.6	35,570	34.7	\$32,052	98.0
With an employment disability	220,300	11.3	153,065	69.5	109,760	49.8	\$34,895	106.7
With a sensory, physical, or mental disability	159,290	8.2	72,740	45.7	46,520	29.2	\$34,688	106.0
All three disabilities	6,215	0.3	1,140	18.4	670	10.8	\$30,381	92.9
With two disabilities: sensory and physical	6,315	0.3	2,175	34.4	1,540	24.4	\$35,567	108.7
With two disabilities: sensory and mental	2,755	0.1	1,310	47.6	615	22.3	\$31,529	96.4
With two disabilities: physical and mental	22,040	1.1	4,990	22.6	2,310	10.5	\$30,102	92.0
With sensory disability only	21,310	1.1	15,275	71.7	11,810	55.4	\$38,163	116.6
With physical disability only	69,175	3.6	31,890	46.1	21,405	30.9	\$35,538	108.6
With mental disability only	31,480	1.6	15,955	50.7	8,170	25.9	\$29,306	89.6
With a sensory, physical, mental disability	159,290	8.2	72,740	45.7	46,520	29.2	\$34,688	106.0
With a go-outside or employment disability	79,590	4.1	25,550	32.1	13,480	16.9	\$31,348	95.8
Both go-outside and employment	28,815	1.5	9,075	31.5	4,460	15.5	\$30,768	94.0
Go-outside, not employment	14,385	0.7	2,295	16.0	1,260	8.7	\$31,164	95.3
Employment, not go-outside	36,385	1.9	14,180	39.0	7,765	21.3	\$31,710	96.9
No sensory, physical, mental disability	1,786,135	91.8	1,433,105	80.2	1,081,560	60.6	\$40,945	125.1
With a go-outside or employment disability	167,880	8.6	133,645	79.6	100,375	59.8	\$35,166	107.5
Both go-outside and employment	46,635	2.4	35,650	76.4	27,020	57.9	\$32,404	99.0
Go-outside, not employment	12,780	0.7	3,835	30.0	2,835	22.2	\$30,685	93.8
Employment, not go-outside	108,460	5.6	94,160	86.8	70,520	65.0	\$35,863	109.6
With a self-care disability	29,545	1.5	7,730	26.2	4,300	14.6	\$32,201	98.4
With a sensory disability	5,115	0.3	950	18.5	510	10.0	\$30,417	93.0
With a physical disability	23,395	1.2	4,950	21.1	2,800	12.0	\$32,256	98.6
With a mental disability	14,580	0.7	3,105	21.3	1,295	8.9	\$30,488	93.2
With a go-outside disability	21,095	1.1	4,840	22.9	2,755	13.1	\$31,352	95.8
With an employment disability	19,045	1.0	5,345	28.1	2,845	14.9	\$30,972	94.7

¹Workers who worked 50 weeks or more and 35 or more hours per week in 1999 were classified and year-round full-time workers.

²Relative earnings of a given group equals the median earnings of the group divided by \$32,717, the median earnings of the U.S. year-round full-time workers, times 100.